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James W. Hill 741 Bittle Lane Moab, UT 84532

Dear Mr. Hill:

RE: ML 45848 Gemstone/Fossil

Grand County

Article III of the above numbered lease agreement stipulates that the lease is subject to all valid rules adopted by the Board of State Lands & Forestry. Rule R640-20-2200-3(a), adopted by the Board, provides that the division may require the lessee to provide a paleontological survey on the lands under the lease.

After consultation with the State Historic Preservation Officer the division has determined that a paleontological survey of the lands within your gemstone/fossil lease, ML 45848, is required. The survey must be performed by a qualified paleontological consultant and a copy of the survey sent to the division for review prior to any further surface disturbance of the lands or removal of the leased substances from the leasehold. I am enclosing a list of qualified consultants for your convenience.

Failure of Lessee to comply with this requirement for a survey may result in the cancellation of this lease pursuant to Article XIX of the terms and conditions of the lease agreement.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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